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For: METHOD FOR PREVENTING PARASITIC USAGE OF WEB PAGE EMBEDDED FILES

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- ☒ Patent Specification and Declaration
- ☒ 3 sheets of drawing(s)
- ☒ An assignment of the invention to International Business Machines Corporation (includes Recordation Form Cover Sheet)
- ☒ A certified copy of a United Kingdom application filed on 23 December 1999, Serial Number 9930281.2
- ☐ Information Disclosure Statement, PTO 1449 and copies of references

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